POLREP #37
FAIRMONT COKE WORKS
LAFAYETTE STREET
FAIRMONT, MARION COUNTY, WV 26554

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- I. SITUATION (WEDNESDAY, 03/02/94, 1700 HOURS)
 - A. EPA, TAT, ERCS CONTINUED REMOVAL OPERATIONS.
 - B. PERSONNEL ON SCENE: OSC-1, TAT-4, ERCS-12
 - C. WEATHER ON SCENE: TEMPS IN UPPER 20'S; SLEET AND FREEZING RAIN BEGAN IN THE EARLY AFTERNOON.
 - D. OSC POWELL ON SITE TO DIRECT REMOVAL ACTIONS.
 - E. PROJECT COSTS:

AGENCY	COST	AS OF	03/01/94	CEILING
ERCS TAT EPA DIRECT EPA INDIRECT		\$ 15	,070 ,767 ,034 ,697	\$ 635,000 \$ 100,000 \$ 30,000 \$ 50,000
TOTAL		\$ 328	,568	\$ 815,000
UNOBLIGATED FUN	DS			\$ 898,000
SITE CEILING				\$1,713,000

II. ACTIONS TAKEN

- TAT/ERCS CONTINUED SCREENING OIL SAMPLES COLLECTED FROM CAPACITORS, TRANSFORMERS, AND ELECTRICAL SWITCHES FOR PCB'S USING CHLOR-N-OIL PCB KITS. A TOTAL OF 65 OIL SAMPLES HAVE BEEN RETRIEVED FROM CAPACITORS/TRANSFORMERS/SWITCHES. TO DATE, NINE OF THE TRANSFORMER SAMPLES, FOUR OF THE SWITCH SAMPLES, AND ALL TWELVE OF THE CAPACITOR SAMPLES HAVE TESTED POSITIVE FOR PCB'S GREATER THAN 50 PPM. RETESTS WERE PERFORMED ON SEVERAL SAMPLES. ONE SAMPLE THAT HAD BEEN MARKED AS POSITIVE WAS FOUND TO BE NEGATIVE AND DUE TO THE VOLUME OF OIL IN THIS LARGE TRANSFORMER A REVISED ESTIMATE OF 625 GALLONS OF PCB OIL IS STORED WITHIN THE CONTAINERS THAT TESTED POSITIVE.
- B. ERCS INITIATED TANK SAMPLING OPERATIONS IN BUILDING-AD THIS DATE. THREE TANKS WERE ADDRESSED. THE LAST TANK IN BLDG-AC WAS ACCESSED AND IS READY FOR SAMPLING. ERCS FOREMAN MARKED THE ACCESS POINTS ON THE TANKS IN BLDG-AJ.
- C. T&D COORDINATOR CONTACTED THE SITE AND INFORMED THE RESPONSE MANAGER THAT A FEW SPECIFIC BOTTLES FROM THE LAB PACKS WOULD NEED TO BE PUT IN SEPARATE DRUMS IN ORDER TO MEET THE DISPOSAL APPROVAL.
- D. ERCS BAGGED AND SEPARATED THE PCB SORBENT PADS AND PPE BEING USED IN ORDER TO MINIMIZE THE SPREADING OF PCB CONTAMINATED MATERIALS AND REDUCE DISPOSAL COSTS ON THE PPE.

F. DECON TRAILER WAS BLOCKED AND LEVELED BY A SUB-CONTRACTOR.

G. WEATHER REPORT FOR TONIGHT CALLS FOR 8-16" OF SNOW, SLEET, AND FREEZING RAIN. TOMORROW'S SCHEDULE IS DEPENDENT ON THE WEATHER CONDITIONS.

III. FUTURE PLANS

- A ERCS TO CONTINUE SAMPLING OPERATIONS IN BUILDING-AD.
- B. ERCS WILL CONTINUE ACCESSING TANKS IN BUILDING-AC AND BEGIN ACCESSING TANKS IN BUILDING-AJ.
- C. TAT/ERCS SURVEYORS WILL RESUME COLLECTING NECESSARY INFORMATION FOR ESTABLISHING THE SITE GRID AND BOUNDARIES.
- D. CHEMIST TO FORMULATE BULKING PLAN FOR OIL WHICH TESTED POSITIVE FOR PCB'S. ANY QUESTIONABLE SAMPLES WILL BE RETESTED.
- E. TAT WILL CONTINUE TO REVISE SOIL SAMPLING PLAN TO FACILITATE THE EXTENT OF CONTAMINATION STUDY.

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